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ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS COMPLETED

Project reviews completed from July 15 to August 15 are listed below. These projects have been screened through the internal environmental review process for potential impacts on wetlands, threatened and endangered species, and cultural and archaeological resources, etc. Through the review process it was determined that environmental impacts have been kept to a minimum and mitigated as necessary, that they do not meet the criteria for significant actions as defined in the environmental review process, and may proceed. All of these projects are in compliance with the Endangered Species Protection Act, Natural Areas Preservation Act, Interagency Wetlands Policy Act and cultural resource statutes.

Horseshoe Lake State Park - Madison

1609881 - This project involves constructing rip-rap slope stabilization protection in Horseshoe Lake. Project was submitted for review on 4-25-16.

Matthiessen State Park

1610749 - This project involves trail rehabilitation involving 3 areas associated with the Dells Access Area of Matthiessen SP. Project was submitted for review on 5-13-16.

Frank Holten State Park

1700655 - This project involves constructing a new utility line service along Lake Drive. The project begins at Pershing Street and continues approximately 175' south to 80th Street. Project was submitted for review on 7-22-16.

Wayne Fitzgerrell State Recreation Area

1700657 - This project involves the installation of underground primary electric service to day use areas at Wayne Fitzgerrell. The line will be installed in a trench and run parallel to the existing roadways. Project was submitted for review on 7-22-16.

World Shooting Recreation Complex

1700590 - This project involves constructing a concrete pad behind Vendor Building 5. Project was submitted for review on 7-21-16.

Mississippi River Area State Fish & Wildlife Area

1611982 - This project involves spreading aggregate over 577,030 square feet of existing roadway at 3 management areas (Riprap Landing, Red's Landing, & Batchtown) adjacent to the Mississippi River. Project was submitted for review on 6-17-16.

Pyramid State Park

1700658 - This project involves oil and chip existing roadways and parking areas at Pyramid SP. Project was submitted for review on 7-22-16.

Randolph County Conservation Area

1700902 - This project involves installing new fiber optic line along the park entrance road. Project was submitted for review on 7-29-16.

Pere Marquette State Park

1700546 - This project involves rehabilitation of the public restroom inside Pere Marquette State Park Lodge due to an equipment failure. Project was submitted for review on 7-20-16.

Embarrass River Bottoms State Habitat Area

1700013 - This project is an updated Management-Monitoring Plan which describes for the general public and interested parties the terms of the settlement, and a phased approach to restoration with focus on baseline monitoring and site preparation activities. Project was submitted for review on 7-1-16.

Questions and Comments
All questions and comments about the environmental review process or this newsletter should be directed to:

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